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List of deaths registered in the town of Belize from the 14th instant to date.

Belize, September 20, 1900.	
Certified by medical practitioner—	Certified by coroner, poisoning from oxalic acid..... 1
Carcinoma (a)..... 1	Uncertified..... 0
Malarial fever (a)..... 1	
Certified by district commissioner or police..... 0	Total..... 3

a Died in hospital.

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BRAZIL.

Report from Rio de Janeiro.

RIO DE JANEIRO, September 1, 1900.

Plague.

SIR: The plague has made the following progress:

Date.	New cases.	Deaths at—		Cured.	Number of patients in hospital.	Date.	New cases.	Deaths at—		Cured.	Number of patients in hospital.
		Hospital.	Residences.					Hospital.	Residences.		
Aug. 15...	5	2	0	3	97	Aug. 25...	0	1	0	16	67
Aug. 16...	4	2	1	0	98	Aug. 26...	0	0	0	0	67
Aug. 17...	2	0	1	0	99	Aug. 27...	0	0	0	0	67
Aug. 18...	6	1	0	7	97	Aug. 28...	2	0	0	0	69
Aug. 19...	0	0	0	3	94	Aug. 29...	2	0	0	7	64
Aug. 20...	3	1	1	2	93	Aug. 30...	1	0	0	0	65
Aug. 21...	0	1	0	0	92	Aug. 31...	2	0	1	0	67
Aug. 22...	2	0	0	12	82	Total..	33	10	4	50	1,385
Aug. 23...	1	0	0	0	83						
Aug. 24...	3	2	0	0	84						

Therefore during the month of August there were 90 new cases of plague and 46 deaths; 71 patients have been discharged and 67 still remain in treatment.

During May, June, July, and August there have been 454 cases and 220 deaths; 144 patients died in the hospital and 76 at their residences or during the transport; 167 patients were cured and 67 still remain under treatment.

Bills of health.

Since last report the following named ships have been inspected and received bills of health of this office: August 17, steamship *Coleridge*, British, for New York; barkentine *White Wings*, American, for Baltimore. August 18, steamship *Roman Prince*, British, for New York. August 22, steamship *Capri*, German, for New York. August 23, steamship *Mariston*, British, for New York; bark *Lizzie Burrill*, British, for Sandy Hook; barkentine *Dom Pedro II*, American, for Baltimore. August 25, steamship *Horrox*, British, for New York. August 30, steamship *L. Luckenbach*, American, for New York. August 31, bark *Albatroz*, Portuguese, for New Orleans.

Respectfully,

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